

## Autumn Maintenance Checklist

- Clothes dryer Clean/vacuum out external vent of excess lint to prevent back up/fire.
- Lawn mower Winterize & store
- Snow Blower Prep with a tune up and fresh oil change or ensure you are have a good shovel or two
- Outdoor plumbing Winterize faucets & store hoses inside
- Roof Check for shingles that are damaged/loose/missing before the snow falls
- Furnace or heating source Have inspected for safety & efficiency
- Landscaping Have appropriate trees trimmed (some fare best with spring or fall trimming)
- Doors & Windows Check for cracks and repair weatherstripping and caulking
- Outdoor living Put away or cover outdoor furniture or decorations
- Lawn Aeration is recommended every couple years
- Christmas decor If you plan to, do it before your hands freezel
- Gutters Clean and remove debris
- Sprinkler system Winterize



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## Monthly Maintenance Checklist

- Furnace air filter Check monthly & replace quarterly
- Smoke & CO detectors Check monthly & change batteries with Daylight Savings time
- Water softener Check & replenish as needed
- Dishwasher filter Check & clean/replace as needed

## Occasionally

## **Maintenance Checklist**

- Clean out air ducts Recommended every 5 years
- Clean carpets/rugs
- Have septic system professionally inspected
- Test for radon every other year
- Test well water if used for drinking

